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Movements of Chinese and North Korean Troops,

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a regiment of Chinese Communists and 4,000 North Korean troops arrived at Chongpyong-ni (127-24, 37-44) from Kapyong (127-30, 37-50). A Chinese convoy included four artillery pieces of undetermined calibre, 60 horsecarts loaded with mortars and artillery pieces of undetermined type, and 19 trucks loaded with ammunition. A North Korean convoy with 30 oxcarts loaded with ammunition departed from Kapyong following the Chinese Communists.

- 2. On the same day boxes of ammunition were piled along the road for two kilometers beginning two kilometers east of Chongpyong-ni. Three hundred meters eastward of the ammunition boxes there were 13 tanks (undescribed) covered with straw and branches, their sides concealed under white cloth, and hidden in an orchard.
- 14 North Korean soldiers with one Soviet 25X1 jeep and two trucks loaded with one ROK and six American PW's arrived at Chungkang-ni (sic). Villagers were ordered to prepare breakfast for the North Koreans, who ate in two shifts of seven each. PW's appeared hungry and one asked a villager for water. North Koreans immediately prohibited villagers from giving food or water to PW's. One American had wounds in
- Chinese Communist troops, moving during hours of darkness only, 25X1 25X1 were concentrating in the valley Kalmaigilkol (sic) on the northern edge of Choan-ni (unlocated, approximately 127-18, 37-32). undetermined number of North Korean troops moved through this area 25X1 camping in valleys 3 kilometers from the railroad tracks at 25X1

Choan-ni. Chinese troops also billeted in the primary school at Choan-ni

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both arms.

15,000 Chinese Communist troops. 25X1 moving in the direction of Ichon (127-26, 37-16), passed Isuk-ni (unlocated) 14 kilometers north of Kwangju (127-10, 37-28). The convoy included 30 trucks, 6 Soviet jeeps, 10 armored cars, 20 tanks, 12 field artillery pieces, and 100 oxcarts loaded with mortars of undetermined calibre.

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